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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Lorenzo Di Gregorio et al.
Serial No.: 10/719,794
Date Filed: November 21, 2003
Group Art Unit: 2181
Examiner: Lai, Vincent
Title: **DEVICE AND METHOD FOR
CONTROLLING PROCESSING OF DATA
STREAM ELEMENTS USING A SET OF
SPECIFIC FUNCTION UNITS
(As Amended)**

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Final Office Action mailed September 29, 2006, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments set forth below and request favorable action thereon.

Amendments to Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.